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SUBJECT: PROPOSED U.S. TEXT FOR RENEWED US-USSR S & T
AGREEMENT (01.00)

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1. FOLLOWING IS PARTIAL DRAFT TEXT OF US-USSR SPECIAL-
IZED COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT FOR FIELDS OF SCIENCE AND
TECHNOLOGY. WE HAVE REPEATED ONLY PREAMBLE AND
ARTICLE 7. REST OF TEXT IS SAME AS 1972 VERSION.

2. BEGIN TEXT: AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE
UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS ON COOPERATION IN
THE FIELDS OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY.

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PREAMBLE: THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNION OF SOVIET
SOCIALIST REPUBLICS;

RECOGNIZING THAT BENEFITS CAN ACCRUE TO BOTH COUNTRIES
FROM THE DEVELOPMENT OF COOPERATION IN THE FIELDS
OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY;

WISHING TO ASSIST IN ESTABLISHING CLOSER AND MORE
REGULAR COOPERATION BETWEEN SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL
ORGANIZATIONS OF BOTH COUNTRIES;

TAKING INTO CONSIDERATION THAT SUCH COOPERATION WILL
SERVE TO STRENGTHEN FRIENDLY RELATIONS BETWEEN BOTH
COUNTRIES;

ENCOURAGED BY THE PROGRESS MADE IN THE COURSE OF
MUTUALLY AGREED ACTIVITIES DURING THE FIRST FIVE YEARS;

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE UNITED
STATES OF AMERICA AND THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST
REPUBLICS ON EXCHANGES AND COOPERATION IN SCIENTIFIC,
TECHNICAL, EDUCATIONAL, CULTURAL, AND OTHER FIELDS,
SIGNED JUNE 19, 1973, AND IN ORDER TO DEVELOP FURTHER
THE MUTUALLY BENEFICIAL COOPERATION BETWEEN THE TWO
COUNTRIES;

HAVE AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

ARTICLE 7

(1) FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS AGREEMENT THERE
SHALL BE ESTABLISHED A US-USSR JOINT COMMISSION ON
SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL COOPERATION. THE COMMISSION
SHALL CONSIST OF UNITED STATES AND SOVIET PARTS, OF
WHICH THE CHAIRMEN AND MEMBERS SHALL BE DESIGNATED BY
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THE RESPECTIVE PARTIES. THE COMMISSION SHALL MEET AS
A RULE ONCE A YEAR, IN THE UNITED STATES AND THE
SOVIET UNION ALTERNATELY. THE COMMISSION SHALL ADOPT

REGULATIONS FOR ITS OPERATION.

(2) THE COMMISSION SHALL CONSIDER PROPOSALS FOR THE
DEVELOPMENT OF COOPERATION IN SPECIFIC AREAS; PREPARE
SUGGESTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS, AS APPROPRIATE, FOR THE
TWO PARTIES; DEVELOP AND APPROVE MEASURES AND
PROGRAMS FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS AGREEMENT; DESIGNATE,
AS APPROPRIATE, THE AGENCIES, ORGANIZATIONS OR ENTER-
PRISES RESPONSIBLE FOR CARRYING OUT COOPERATIVE
ACTIVITIES; AND SEEK TO ASSURE THEIR PROPER IMPLEMENTA-
TION.

(3) TO CARRY OUT ITS FUNCTIONS, THE COMMISSION MAY
CREATE TEMPORARY OR PERMANENT JOINT SUBCOMMITTEES,
COUNCILS, OR WORKING GROUPS.

(4) DURING THE PERIOD BETWEEN MEETINGS OF THE COMMISSION ADDITIONS OR AMENDMENTS MAY BE MADE TO ALREADY APPROVED COOPERATIVE ACTIVITIES AS MAY BE MUTUALLY AGREED.

(5) THE EXECUTIVE AGENT SHALL BE FOR THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA THE OFFICE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY POLICY AND FOR THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS THE STATE COMMITTEE FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY. THE EXECUTIVE AGENTS WILL ENCOURAGE AND FACILITATE COOPERATION IN THE FIELDS OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY CARRIED OUT UNDER OTHER US-USSR INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENTS.
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